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"HELP PANEL FOR WEB PRODUCTS"

Dear Terry:

Per our telephone conversation I am sending you a copy of the invention disclosure (RO896-0263) for the above docket. It is very important that the patent application be completed by the BARDATE of <u>February 3, 1997</u>.

Please limit fees for professional services to \$7000.00.

Call me with comments or questions that you may have.

Thank you for your assistance in the preparation of this patent application.

Sincerely,

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